

Partner search: Education Provider from London

Brief description of organisation: We are a service provider of educational programmes and services to schools and colleges. We work with local companies both large and SME's to facilitate programmes to enable young people to be prepared for the world of work. Business volunteers are trained to come into schools to assist us with the delivery of our programmes which allows young people to have contact with industry personnel. Our programmes consist of the following ; Careers fairs, Mock interviews, Enterprise workshops, skills and employability programmes, Careers information and guidance, as well as Work Experience for students. We have also established TVET vocational units with local business partners, as well as worked on companies CSR strategies to fit into their local education agenda and design programmes to fit into their own Community links objectives. Our programmes are aimed to enhance students learning experience of the world of work, increase confidence building, and gave them the opportunity to improve their employment and career prospects.

Relevant funding programme:

Key action 1 - Mobility of individuals

Key action 2 - Capacity building in the field of youth.

As well as Strategic partnerships in the field of education and training.

Project objectives: We would like to work on improving employability prospects of young people, with organisation who already work with schools and young people. We would also look at capacity building projects to support organisation with new innovative ideas that we already deliver in schools and colleges and replicate these in other countries.

Project activities: We would look at Work Experience programmes, employability and skills preparation workshops, as well entrepreneurial programmes and workshops.

We also have the experience and expertise to work with partners on TVET as we have experience in this field as well, and look at Vocational training needs, as well as the setting up of TVET programmes. .

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Partnership details: Our organisation is happy to lead in areas where we feel we have the skills set. We are looking for partners, we are based in West London, so geographically we are well placed to work with young people travelling from overseas.

We are also happy to be partners with other leads in other countries who have projects that they wish to replicate in the UK with youth, or take some of our projects and replicate these – with long term sustainability and capacity building.

What partners are you looking for? We would like organisations similar to ourselves – these could be Training Providers, schools, colleges or other institutions that work with youth on innovative projects to prepare them for employability as well as entrepreneurship.

Deadline for receiving declarations of interest: Monday 2nd March 2015.

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